# Harper Faces Ruth Today---Two Sandlot Leagues Open Season

Scheduled for Today

Potomac League - Congress Heights vs. Drillery at Congress Heights Grounds at 5:30 p. m. Government League — Marine

Corps vs. Commissioners, Dia-mond No. 3, White Lot, at 5:15

Catholic Church League—Holy Name vs. St. Margaret at Fifth and Florida avenue northeast

at 5:15 p. m. Rosedale League — Columbias

vs. Rosedale at Union League Park at 5:30 p. m.

Terminal R. R. Y. M. C. A. Evening League—Union Station vs. Southern Auditors at gounds

east of Union Station at 5:45

Terminal R. R. Y. M. C. A

Sunrise Lengue—Baggage vs. Pennsylvania at grounds cast of Union Station at 9:15 s. m.

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itchers in a vain effort to stave off efeat at the hands of the Indians here

# Gayety Theater to Stage Wrestling Tournament

Local wrestling (ans were handed plen- while a silver loving cup will be given type the sport last week when Kio Take—
the inchit is just grappling king, took on most of the local wrestling artists.

These were handed out at every performance, and in order to straighten out the local wrestling artists.

The local wrestling artists.

The local wrestling artists week when Kio Take—
the bouts will be held every night against the Athletics.

This is good news for the Nationals if the crowds continue when the Griffmen best mat men in the District are lined visit the Quaker City next Thursday, for local wrestling artists. typef the sport last week when Kio Take- to the runner up best mat men in the District are lined up for the matches, which will get under the way tonight after the regular pler Manager Harry O. Jarbo, of the Gayety Theater, will hold a wrestling fournament this week which has attracted the attention of the local mat men.

The bouts will be catch-as-catch-can the style, under the Police Gazette rules, the best two in three falls to a finish. Mansest will be recognized as the District champion, is an elimination tournament and when one of the athletes is beaten he is rot the regular performance. Young Lesco, of the English after the regular performance. Young Lesco, of the English after the performance. Young Lesco, of the English performance, Young Lesco, of the English performance. Young Lesco, of the English performance. Young Lesco, of the English performance, Young Lesco, of the English performance, Young Lesco, of the English performance. Young Lesco, of the English performance, Young Lesco, of the English performance,



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# Take His Turn Soon Nationals' Big Pitcher Is Wait-Amateur Baseball Games

Pitcher Jim Shaw to

ing for Warm Weather Before Making a Start.

## OTHER SPORTING GOSSIP

Ruth and Harper, Southpaws, Slated to Oppose Each Other This Afternoon.

By WILLIAM PEET.

Many of the fans are wondering why Jim Shaw does not take his regular turn on the rubber for the Nationals. Several letters to the writer and nu-merous inquiries by Capital business men have reached this office with requests for

information about the big pitcher.

There is nothing the matter with Jim Shaw except that Manager Griffith is waiting for warm weather to set in be-fore starting the big boy.

Physically Shaw is as good as he ever was in his life and eats three big meals a day. In Charlottesville the pitcher looked to be in great shape and it was figured that he would be able to take!

AND TRIMS BRO his turn in the box when the season

opened.

The cold, rainy spell shortly after the Nationals arrived home from the training camp seemed to set Shaw back more than any of the other pitchers, and it will not be until we enjoy a few warm days such as the weather man handed days of the Browns, the White Sox had no trouble trimming the CHICAGO.

ABR H PO A E MENURAL STATES ARRIVED AND ARRIVED ARRIV uays such as the weather man handed out yesterday that Shaw will be started in a championship game.

Today's game at National Park between the Griffmen and Red Sox will more than likely resolve itself into a schalk a sc

Today's game at National Park be-tween the Griffmen and Red Sox will more than likely resolve itself into a pitchers' battle between Southpaws Ruth

probably Ruth Probably Ruth
Harper beat the Red Sox in Boston on
April 18 by 4 to 2, with Ernie Shore as
his opponent, allowing them but five hits.
He is confident that he can repeat the
trick this afternoon.

that he would pitch either Shore or Ruth,

Manager Griffith has his heart set on cleaning up the series against the Bos-ton Red Sox and believes he can do it, for the world champlons are not hitting the ball right now as they will later, although their pitchers, contrary to reports of sore arms, look to be in fine condition. Secretary Eddle Riley, of the Red Sox. vouchsafed the information that the Roston club drew good-sized crowds in St.

Speaking of attendance figures, it might CHASE'S PINCH HIT This is an elimination tournament and when one of the athletes is beaten he is ruled out. If any others of the local grappiers fall in line more than one down in St. Louis the Mound City bugs capable and the standard. One of the cleveland and St. Louis for the Cleveland fans are wildly entured out. If any others of the local grappiers fall in line more than one down in St. Louis the Mound City bugs cae-saw affair from Pittsburgh, St or Callahan used five pitchers; Herzog three.

# this afternoon, and when it was all over the score was 12 to 6, with the visitors on the heavy end. Twenty-five thousand persons, the largest crowd of the season so far, saw the Tigers humbled. ALEXANDRIA EAGLES Score:

The Alexandrians averted a shut-out in the last inning, when with two out Rector let up and was touched for two doubles, scoring their lone tally.

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Chill and Evans. Time of game-2 hours and 36 minutes.	Lincoln, 6; Palais	Roy	al,		
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The Potomac Homing Pigeon Club held	Reber, 1b, p 4	0 0	3	2	0
its first race of the old-bird series yes-	Martin, c, 3b 0	2 0	6	2	0
terday from Charlottesville, Va., eight	Bischoff, p. 1b 3	0 1	4	2	0
lofts being represented by 150 birds	-		-	-	-
The first bird homing to the loft of	Totals 28	5 9	27	10	4
Childress brothers, while R. A. Hunt was	PALAIS ROYAL AB	R H	PO	A	E
second. The second fly of this series	P. Moreland, 1f 5	0 2	4	0	0
will be held next Sunday from Danville,	Fowler, 2b 4	1 1	5	0	0
Va. The returns of yesterday's race were	Coombs, 2b 5	0 1	4	3	0
as follows:	Evans, 1b 4	0 1	4	3	0
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24 E. Young 872	Barratt, p 0	0 0	0	0	
17 A. Taylor 862			-	-	-

Government and Catholic Church Leagues Will Swing Into Action Today.

## TWO COMPLETE OPENING

By JOHN A. DUGAN.

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Two more leagues under the local amateur baseball association will swing into action today. The Government League will get under way at the White Lot with a regular big league opening while the Catholic League will get started at Fitth and Flordia avenue northeast.

President James Marbury will complete his double opening of the Potomac League today, when the Congress Heights team will play the Drillery Club on the Congress Heights grounds. Prof. Scholesor with his twenty-four-piece band will Congress Heights grounds. Frof. Scholessor with his twenty-four-piece band will make its initial appearance, and E. R. Williams, of the Steel Plant, will throw out the first ball.

One of the largest crowds in the history

of the sandlot game on the Hilliop, is expected as the fans at Congress Heights were always good supporters of the amateur games, and by the showing at the Anacostia field Saturday it appears as if the consolidation of the two leagues across the river has made a hit with the fans.

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Down at the White Lot there will be some big doings as the full Marine Band of sixty-nine pieces under the direction of Lieut, W. H. Santelmann will be on hand when the Marine Corps team, champion of the government circuit last season, will battle the Commissioners. President Dean has planned a big time for all, and one that will long be remembered. Com-missioner Brownlow will throw out the first ball, while the other prominent fans who will be on hand are as follows: Secretary of Commerce Redfield, Secretary of the Interior Lane, Secretary of Labor Wilson, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Newton, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Newton, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Malburne, Commissioner Kutz, Gen, George Barnett, of the U. S. Marine, Corps, and his staff; Col. C. H. Lauchheimer, Col. John Lejeune, Col. C. A. Doyen, Col. C. L. McCawley, Col. George Richards, Col. R. H. Lane, and many other of the officers of the Marine Corps.

Out at Fifth street and Florida ave-nue northeast the Catholic League will get under way to play off a schedule of

fight.

In the sight of the second last teams finishing first and second last teams finishing first and second last teams for the season, and the second last game will be called at 5:15 by Jack Carr.

game will be cancular the league umpire.

The Hon. P. T. Moran, president of the Chamber of Commerce, has been invited to toss out the first ball, and league officials have every assurance provinced. Two base hit-Murphy. Three-base hit-Slaier struck out-By Scott. 2: by Groom, 1. Rases on balls-Off Groom, 1; off Scott. 2. Double play-E. Collins to Fourner. Sacrifice hits-McMullin, Wester (2), Scott, Marsans. Stolen bases—E. Collins Exercise. hat he will be on hand at the appointed

invited to attend the opening together with the following members of the amateur association: S. Edward Beach, Capt. Eugene Edwards, and "Bob" Doyle, G. R. Salb, J. B. Ryan, J. F. Luitich, and William O'Dea will also be on hand to

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### YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

AMERICAN. Chicago, 6; St. Louis, 2.

NATIONAL Cincinnati, 8; Pittsburgh, 7. St. Louis-Chicago-Wet grounds Cleveland, 12; Detroit, 6.

GAMES TODAY. Brooklyn at New York.
Phillies at Boston.
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati. New York at Philadelphia.

Cleveland at Detroit.

Chicago at St. Louis

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### PINKY GARDINER TO MEET JOE TURNER

Boston at Washington

# KICK ON O'CONNOR AS THE REFEREE

"Pinky" Gardiner, that speedy wrest-ler hailing from Lincoln, Nebr., who made such fast work of Jim Pollus, the Greek Demon, at the Lyceum Theater on last Friday right, has been matched by Manager Tuberville, of the Avenue playhouse, to meet Joe Turner, the local middle-weight champion, on Tuesday night after the regular performance.

Gardiner appears to know a great dast 

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